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In re application of: Shinichi Shoji, et al.

Attorney Docket No.: OMRNP073

Application No.: 10/758,550

Examiner: M. Kramskaya

Filed: January 14, 2004

Group: 2858

Title: CAPACITANCE SENSOR AND  
DETECTOR USING SAME FOR DETECTING  
OBJECT BEING CAUGHT BY DOOR

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

- Applicants hereby petition for a ONE MONTH extension of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.
- Applicants believe that no additional Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicants hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. OMRNP073).
- Enclosed is our Check No. 12365 in the amount of \$120 to cover the extension of time fee.
- Please charge any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. OMRNP073).

Respectfully submitted,  
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**AMENDMENT "D"**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 19, 2006 in the above-referenced application, regarding which it is requested with the payment of a fee to extend the period for response by one month to September 19, 2006, applicant submits the following REMARKS together with the present status of the claims section: